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13.	Himachal Pradesh	14	30
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	11	7
15.	Karnataka	54	56
16.	Kerala	58	61
17.	Lakshadweep	0	0
18.	Madhya Pradesh	34	38
19.	Manipur	28	2
20.	Meghalaya	17	9
21.	Maharashtra	90	33
22.	Mizoram	7	4
23.	Nagaland	24	0 46
24.	Orissa	88	
25.	Pondicherry	11	15
26.	Punjab	13	15
27.	Rajasthan	18	29
28.	Sikkim	7	3
29.	Tamil Nadu	70	59
30.	Tripura Uttar	12	17
31.	Pradesh	68	60
32.	West Bengal	22	21
TOTAL		970	725

Scheme for development of Bastar in Chhattisgarh

† 2499. SHRI JHUMUK LAL BHENDIA: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government of Chhattisgarh has submitted any scheme of rupees 408 crores to Government for the development of Bastar; and
- (b) if so, by when the said amount is likely to be provided by Government after sanctioning the scheme for upliftment and development of tribals?

† Original notice of the Question was received in Hindi.

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) and (b) The Government of Chhattisgarh has submitted proposal for Rs. 365.90 crores for grant in aid under Article 275(1) for the development of Bastar. Grant in aid under Article 275(1) is rather meager to take care of huge requirement for implementation of integrated development project as has been proposed by the State of Chhattisgarh. The State Government has been advised to take up the issue with the Planning Commission for obtaining special allocation. However, as per the entitlement of the State, an amount of Rs. 774.62 lakhs has been sanctioned to Chhattisgarh, for taking up construction of roads in Rajnandgaon District and for completion of incomplete irrigation projects of Sarguja and Korba Districts during 2000-2001.

Special Central assistance for tribals in Andhra Pradesh

2500. SHRI SOLIPETA RAMACHANDRA REDDY: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the special Central assistance sanctioned and released by Government during 1998-99, 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 for the betterment of the tribals in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the details of the assistance utilised by the State Government and how many tribals families were benefited;
- (c) whether State Government has approached the Government to release the balance fund for the upliftment of the tribals in the State; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and by when Government are expected to release the balance fund?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) and (b) A statement is laid on the Table of the House. (See below).

(c) and (d) Full entitlement of the State for the current financial year has already been released to the State.